

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Albert A. Andrews et al.  
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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the final office action dated October 19, 2006, please amend the above-referenced application as given herein.